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SOCIO ECONOMIC SCENARIOS


- Key Socio economic considerations



Socio economic Indicators

- Type of future world envisaged
- Nature of economic growth envisaged
- Global Population
- Rate of population growth
- Peaking of population growth
- Technological considerations
- Homogenization of the world through capacity building

Factors which influence the Future

- Alternative directions in technological change
 - Increased social and cultural interactions
 - Reduction in regional differences in per capita income
 - Technological change in the energy system
 - Self reliance
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PURPOSE OF SCENARIOS

Some scenarios emphasize economic development without suggesting social convergence

Other scenarios emphasize sustainable development but are different on convergence

Then there are scenarios which emphasize alternative energy technologies

QUALIFICATION OF RESULTS

Importance of consistent story lines

Importance of comparable baselines

A look at energy use and implications for
GHG emissions

The impact of mitigation on GHG emissions

Assumption of no climate policy to
accompany scenarios

